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SUBJECT: TUNISIAN INTEREST IN SNPP

1. ESSO'S JIM SKANE SAYS THAT THERE IS A DELEGATION FROM THE TUNISIAN GOVERNMENT'S SERVICE DES MINES PRESENTLY IN MOROCCO STUDYING THE ORGANIZATION AND OPERATIONS OF GOM'S SOCIETE NATIONALE DES PRODUITS PETROLIERS (SNPP). FOR TUNIS: SNPP IS GOVERNMENT ENTITY WHICH TOOK FIFTY PERCENT PARTNERSHIP IN ALL FOREIGN OIL MARKETING FIRMS AS OF JANUARY 1, 1975.

2. TUNISIAN GROUP IS STUDYING SNPP PARTICIPATION IN AND OVERSIGHT OF COMPANIES; IT IS ALSO REVIEWING IN DETAIL SNPP NEGOTIATIONS WITH COMPANIES THAT PRECEDED BUY-IN, INCLUDING PRICES PAID FOR EQUITY, TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTNERSHIPS, ETC.

3. SKANE IS CONFIDENT OF ACCURACY ABOVE INFORMATION. HE, AND WE, ASSUME THIS INDICATES AT LEAST SOME TUNISIAN

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INTEREST IN APPLYING MOROCCAN EXAMPLE IN TUNISIA.

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